

With love  
you & your  
Sister & get  
me out.

Athens, Ga.  
Nov. 28, 97.

I send this to you.

This is  
Sunday P.M. and we all  
went to church and I. S. this  
morning, and Mrs. D. went out  
in the country for dinner and  
left Bessie to watch us girls.  
She is here taking music and  
just to teach us, and we  
are in the Study room now  
for it is so cold in our rooms  
that we cannot stand it.

and since Mrs. D. is not here  
I take advantage and write  
you this hasty.

I inclosed a letter from

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With the same time I received  
yours she says Batti is at  
home and improving and I  
am so glad. Where did  
you spend Thanksgiving? I  
do hope that you had a beau-  
tiful time, we had six large  
turkeys, and had a real nice  
time considering we all went  
to the Baptist Church in the  
morning, one year ago I did  
not think of being where I  
am and now I wonder when  
I will be a year from now.  
Of this changing world.

I am so sorry to hear of  
you having such a bad cold  
do & do take care of self

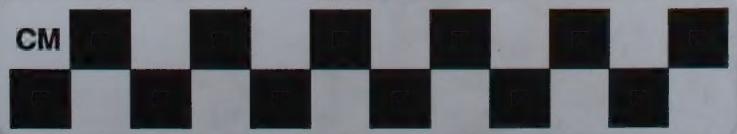
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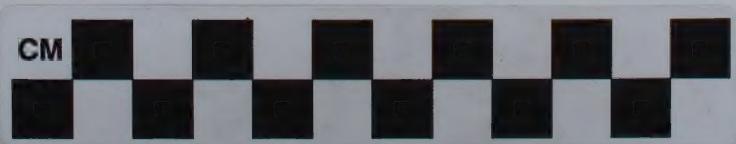
Edith I just gave Mrs C a  
short answer to her query of  
what you done that you could  
send me those things. She got me  
yesterday & the other day for  
talkin' & to my best Harry Col-  
me down the College hall isn't  
was the first time I ever stayed  
in the halls to talk to him. And  
Bessie Wood was in the same night  
home and told Mrs C and Mrs C  
had me in the office right  
away. She gave it to me hot and  
heavy and got me to crying and  
then she came and put her arms  
around me and kissed me & said  
she loved me and wanted me  
to have company but if Belle

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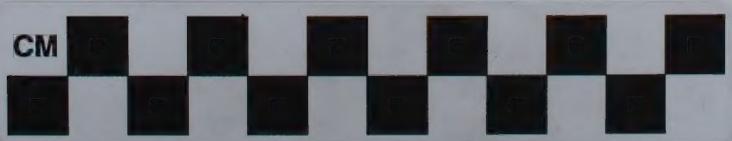


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I have anything more we would  
be put under restrictions, and not  
allowed to have any gentlemen  
calls - any time but cut off  
from all beauty, and tell if  
anything like that does occur  
I would hear him instantly as  
I may in a short time have  
mag. - and we are never allowed  
to speak one word or time around  
after we get in side of the  
church door but have to sit  
there like sticks and last Friday  
Evening Bell & I waited & said  
a few words and she told us  
to come in the office as soon as  
we got home, & made me didn't  
get it, and she didn't allow B-

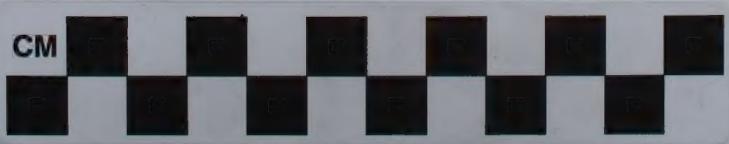


and I to sit together anymore  
at all and there is one other  
girl that goes with us she can  
dont let me sit with any of  
them but she thinks she can  
shove or push me in with some  
old thing here, but I am just  
going to tell her I won't do  
it, I did tell her the other day  
that I never associated with such  
a low class of girls in life as  
I do here with about 12 girls  
excluded. she told me that I  
had to many good friends here  
and she is determined I will  
take two or three more studies next  
term or rather this for it commen-  
ces tomorrow and said she



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- could not have a girl in the  
house if she don't take more  
studies I told her I could not  
do it but she said I must and  
I told her that I <sup>had</sup> intended  
to take music when I first  
came, some had it for awhile  
she wrote to Pa about it  
and - so have I but me have not  
received any reply, but I told  
Pa if he to make me I would  
not stay and I told him about  
the stealing that was going on  
here in the house I told  
35<sup>¢</sup> taken out of my purse out  
of my dresser drawer and  
2<sup>5</sup> of check is like ribbon and  
my room mate has had a cape



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perfumes, and other girls  
have had things taken one  
had \$1,00 taken etc., Thanks  
giving Eve-Bell & I went  
fishing ashed and bought  
us each a bunch of mistletoe  
and bought Miss C a large  
bunch. Also it is the first  
I ever seen. O, it is beauti-  
ful and most of all Miss C  
lets us go in the parlor and  
left us there alone for 20 or 25  
minutes we were so surprised  
for the gent always goes in  
the library and there is  
just shapes there. Thurs-  
day night is calling night,  
again as far as the Mr. C.



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I am so glad; he is the most  
beautiful writer I may  
ever see of his notes but  
return it please. Difine  
me to get caught writing  
notes we would ~~not~~ get  
under restrictions, and maybe  
we'll have that is the rule.  
He got a piece of one I wrote  
him the other day and he  
had me in the office and  
asked me if I wrote  
any notes I acted astonished  
and told her I answered the  
envelope he sent me  
for a Threecay calling night  
and I spoiled several sheets  
of paper and I said that

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was what you got, But  
Sir, it was not that one  
at all, I got my shirt and  
shins all made to my size  
I was only ~~for~~ two weeks on shirt  
and I sent to Pato send me  
some silk for lining my jacket  
with for I am going to have  
made a loose hanging jacket with  
two box pleats in front and none  
back with a yoke both back and  
front and coming just to the  
waist line with a high stand  
collar, and he sent me 6  
pls of mine for a shirt, will  
send you samples each.  
I am going to make them  
both this week if I can

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10.

I turned my black felt hat  
this week with a green velvet  
tassle and a crown and my  
black plumes at side tilted  
up! it is pretty and but I can't  
wear it because I go to W.C.  
Sunday, four today I & Izzy  
will be at her home. We  
will have a picnic we are  
going to Atlanta Georgia to  
Mrs. Eelant allow a girl to  
dress gay or wear a tilted hat or  
turn up much at all if any  
for she says there is poor girls  
there and it would make them  
feel bad. I hate the place.  
Dear papa answer at once &  
excuse haste. Your lovingly

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